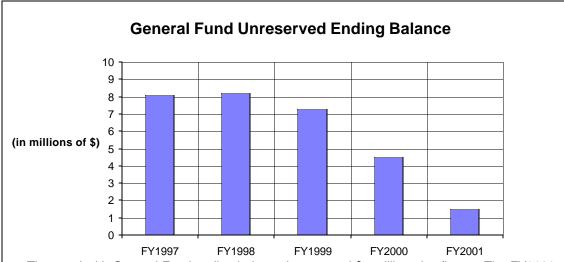
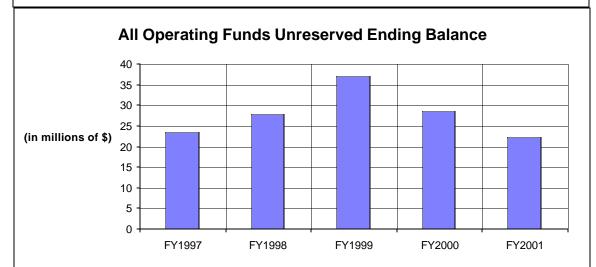
Ending Fund Balances

Ending fund balances are shown for General Fund and all funds. Enterprise fund balance is a calculated amount since accounting is different for proprietary funds versus governmental funds.



The trend with General Fund ending balance is an actual \$5 million plus figure. The FY2000 amount is projected to be lower than prior years because of a drop in franchise fees and utility taxes from Florida Power and Light. A rate increase has been approved which will bring those revenues closer to traditional levels in FY2001. The FY2001 budgeted amount is lower due to budget policy of appropriating all but \$1.5 million. Actual ending balance in FY2001 should reflect past levels. A total of \$1.5 million is included in the General Capital Improvement Program for stabilization but is not reflected in this graph.



This graph shows unreserved ending balance for all operating funds exclusive of internal service funds. The drop in FY2000 and FY2001 is due to a conservative practice of budgeting only a modest amount in the General Fund and an increase in transfers to capital projects especially in Water and Sewer.